dated 3-6-93. In the case of RSS and Bajrang Dal, the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Tribunal by an order dated 4-6-93 has not conformed the ban. The Central Government have already filed special leave petitions before the Supreme Court against the orders of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Tribunal dated 4-6-93 in so far as if relates to XSS and Bajrang Dal. The matter is subjudice.

Bomb blast *mt* R. S. S,. Office in .Madias

4013. SHRI SATISH PRADHAN : CHOWDHRY HARI SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state *

(a) the number of persons killed and injured *in the Bomb blast* which occurred *at* R. S. S. office in Madras recently;

(b) the details of compensation paid to the affected families/persons;

(c) the place of blast occurred and the total loss of property suffered as a result thereof;

(d) the number of culprits identified and arrested in connection with the incidents;

(e) the number of culprits believed to have fled the country;

(0 the steps being taken to book the culprits expeditiously,

(g) the names of the agencies which are conducting inquiries into the incidents; and

(h) the outcome thereof and the measures taken by the Government to prevent such incidents in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) 11 persons died and 9 injured.

(b) The State Government of Tamil Nadu has announced an ex-gratia payment of Rs. 1 lakh each to the families of those who were killed and Rs. 10,000 to those who were injured in the blast

(c) No. 1 and Z M. V. Naidu Street, Chetpet, Madras, The explosion ripped through the vital column of the building/premises and brought down (he ceiling of the first and second floor halls.

(d) to (h) As per information furnished by the State Government of Tamil Nadu, a case has been registered under Cr. No. 1137/93 u/s 120-B, 302, 326,153-A of IPC Section 9(b) (1) (a) & (b) of Indian Explosives Act, 1844 and Section 3 and 4 of Explosives Substances Act 1908 and it has been handed over to the Crime Branch CID for further investigation. Investigations are in progress. Over 200 witnesses have been examined by the Crime Branch CID. Some clues have become available and the Police are working on this. All aspects of the case are being probed with a view to bringing to book all those responsible for the incident. With a view to prevent recurrence of similar incidents, the government have alerted all state govenments as well as the concerned Central Agencies to enforce enhanced surveillance in a fully integrated manner.

Use of the Detector for Investigations

4014. SHRI SATISH PRADHAN : Will the Minister of HOME AFEAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item published in "Times of India" dated 31st July, 1993; captioned "How Reliable is lie test";

(b) whether it is a fact that police department is using the lie detector for proper directional investigation;

(c) whether Government propose to use the, detector in case of criminals involved in anti-national activities; and

(d) whether Government consider using lie detector in case of economical offences ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED): (a) The Government has seen the article entitled "How reliable is polygraph test" which appeared on 30th July, 1993 in the Time of India'.

(b) to (d) Yes. Sir.

Representatioa received from West Pakistan Refugees in J & K

4015. SHRI JAGMOHAN: Will the Minis ter of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received representation from West Pakistan refugees and other affected persons residing in J & K. regarding denial of citisenship and other rights to them by the State Government;

(b) whether the Supreme Court in its judgement delivered on 20-2-1987 (or thereabout) commented upon fairness of the demand of the aforesaid persons and made certain suggestions for providing justice to them; and